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RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111

Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action dated July 2, 2008, please amend the present application as follows and consider the included remarks below. Applicant requests, and submits fee for, a 2-month extension of time. Amendments to the claims start on page 2 and Remarks start on page 12 of this paper.